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SPOTLIGHT: RULE OF LAW

1. "Scanning the Future of Law Enforcement: A Trend Analysis"

[Eric Meade](#). *The Futurist*, July/August 2010, 4 pages.

The author, a vice president and senior futurist at the Institute for Alternative Futures, examines the trend analysis used in scanning the future of law enforcement in the United States, focusing on demographic changes that will affect the country, including the decline in the number of non-Hispanic whites and the generational shift.

2. "Deterrence, Democracy, and the Pursuit of International Justice"

[Leslie Vinjamuri](#). *Ethics & International Affairs*, Summer 2010, 21 pages.

The author, Co-director of the Centre for the International Politics of Conflict, Rights and Justice, discusses the development of international advocacy for justice and its implications as it has moved from being principle-based to being results-based.

HUMAN RIGHTS AND DEMOCRACY

3. "Physical Integrity Rights and Terrorism"

[James A. Piazza](#) and [James Igoe Walsh](#). *PS Political Science and Politics*, July 2010, 3 pages.

The authors examine how rights relate to terrorism, focusing on disaggregating the concept of physical integrity rights into its four components: political imprisonment, torture, extrajudicial killings, and disappearances.

4. "The Rise of State-Nations"

[Alfred Stepan](#), et al. *Journal of Democracy*, July 2010, 19 pages.

Must every state be a nation and every nation a state? A group of political theorists examine the concept of state-nation and nation-state, citing India as a case study where one state holds together a congeries of "national" groups and cultures in a single and wisely conceived federal republic.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN ASIA

5. "Asia Redraws the Map of Progress"

[Joergen Oerstroem Moeller](#). *The Futurist*, September/October 2010, 6 pages.

The author, a member of the World Future Society's Global Advisory Council, discusses the economic power shift from West to East, the economic development in Asia and its challenges for the whole region over the next 25 years.

GLOBAL FINANCIAL CRISIS

6. "Keys to Sustainable Recovery"

[John H. Makin](#). *AEI Economic Outlook*, September 2010, 4 pages.

With economic growth lower than expected, the author, a visiting scholar at American Enterprise Institute, offers measures policymakers should undertake to sustain economic recovery.

7. "Privatizing Money"

Leland B. Yeager. *Cato Journal*, Fall 2010, 22 pages.

What might replace the dollar if it collapses or becomes unmanageable? The author, a Professor Emeritus of Economics at the University of Virginia and Auburn University, discusses the privatization of the currency system in order to restore global financial stability.

8. "Multipolar Governance and Global Imbalances"

[Paolo Guerrieri](#). *International Affairs*, May 2010, 12 pages.

The author, a renowned professor of Economics, explores how multilateral cooperation and international institutions can become reengaged with the problem of global imbalances.

INTERNATIONAL TRADE

9. "Trade and Foreign Policy Attitudes"

[Katja B. Kleinberg](#) and [Benjamin O. Fordham](#). *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, October 2010, 28 pages.

Does trade influence whether individuals view other states as friendly or threatening? The authors, both from the Department of Political Science, Binghamton University, examine the relationships between trade attitudes and foreign policy views, and how trade influences individual foreign policy attitudes.

U.S. FOREIGN POLICY AND ASIA

10. "What the Asian Debate about U.S. Hegemony Tells Us"

[Evelyn Goh](#). *Pacific Forum CSIS#39A*, September 7, 2010, 2 pages.

The author argues that recent Asian debates about the U.S. role in global and regional security are not about shifts in U.S. capabilities and the balance of power. She discusses the implications of the real debate and why Asia runs the risk of trumpeting an 'Asian Century.'

11. "ASEAN's Unchanged Melody? The Theory and Practice of 'Non-Interference' in Southeast Asia"

[Lee Jones](#). *The Pacific Review*, September 2010, 24 pages.

Has the norm of absolute non-interference in Southeast Asia nations ever been followed? The author, a lecturer in International Politics at Queen Mary, University of London, examines the challenges of the consensus on the principle of non-interference in the internal affairs of state members of The Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN).

THE UNITED STATES AND WORLD AFFAIRS

12. "Managing the Global Commons"

[Abraham M. Denmark](#). *The Washington Quarterly*, July 2010, 18 pages.

The sea, air, space, and cyberspace domains are strategically more significant than ever. How can the United States and the international community cope with new actors and challenges in each? The author, a fellow at the Center for a New American Security, examines the concept of the so-called "global commons" in international relations as well as the role of the United States in using its military power and political leadership to maintain and, in large part, to create the global commons.

13. "The Transformer"

Fred Kaplan. *Foreign Policy*, September/October 2010, 7 pages.

U.S. Secretary of Defense Robert Gates, the most revolutionary Pentagon leader since Robert McNamara, gives an exclusive interview to *Foreign Policy* discussing why he accepted the position of Barack Obama's defense secretary and what legacy he hopes to leave behind when he gets out of Washington.

GLOBAL NATURAL RESOURCES

14. "Managing Marine Resources Sustainably"

Susan J. Roberts and [Kenneth Brink](#). *Environment*, July/August 2010, 9 pages.

The authors discuss sustainable management of marine resources by examining sustainable approaches for marine fisheries management and the role of nutrient pollution, from human activities, on the health and productivity of the ocean.

15. "Learning from Informal Cities, Building for Communities"

Pavlina Ilieva and [Kuo Pao Lian](#). *The Futurist*, September/October 2010, 3 pages.

The authors, founders of PI.KL. design group, discuss the idea of self-generative community and how to uncover the natural resources of the area, tapping into the appropriate use of both natural and social capital to further the economic development, and integrate a sophisticated mix of programs.

CLIMATE CHANGE AND ENERGY ISSUES

16. "From Eco-Friendly to Eco-Intelligent"

[Erica Orange](#). *The Futurist*, September/October 2010, 5 pages.

Are supposedly eco-friendly products such as organic clothing, energy-saving light bulbs, and reusable shopping bags as environmentally beneficial as they claim? The author, a vice president of Weiner, Edrich, Brown, Inc., discusses the deceptive labeling of so-called green products in the marketplace and cumulative effect of that consumption on the environment.

17. "Combating Climate Change through Quality Education"

[Allison Anderson](#). *Policy Brief 2010-03*, September 2010, 16 pages.

The author, nonresident fellow at The Brookings Institution's Center for Universal Education, examines the current policies and actions on climate change and the barriers to engaging the education sector in the discussions on climate change mitigation and adaptation.

SOCIAL MEDIA AND JOURNALISM

18. "Blogs and Bullets: New Media in Contentious Politics"

[Sean Aday](#), et al. *USIP Peaceworks#65*, September 2010, 36 pages.

A team of scholars from The George Washington University, in cooperation with scholars from Harvard University and Morningside Analytics, assess both the "cyberutopian" and "cyberskeptic" perspectives on the impact of new media on political movements.

19. "The News Merchant"

[Sheelah Kolhatkar](#). *The Atlantic*, September 2010, 7 pages.

The author, a features editor at *Bloomberg Businessweek*, profiles independent television producer and media consultant Larry Garrison and his work at bringing tabloid-style stories to television news programs, focusing on his efforts to maximize the value of emotionally charged human interest stories through television interviews, book, and movie deals.

BRINGING TECHNOLOGY TO LIBRARY

20. "Using Social Networks to Create Powerful Learning Communities"

[Marianne Lenox](#) and [Maurice Coleman](#). *Computers in Libraries*, September 2010, 6 pages.

The authors discuss how they use online social networks in creating learning communities with their library staff, library users and their fellow librarians.

21. "Facebook Hell?"

Woody Evans. *Searcher*, September 2010, 4 pages.

The author, a public services librarian at Tarrant County College, discusses using Facebook and other social networking sites by librarians as a primary marketing tool for drawing patrons into their facilities and how it may diminish their reputations as stewards of information literacy.

22. "Libraries, Ebooks, and Competition"

[Eric Hellman](#). *Library Journal*, August 2010, 2 pages.

The author discusses the impact of technology on the value delivered by libraries, competition, and library use, focusing on the effects on competition for library services and library lending.

EDUCATION

23. "Reaching the Last Technology Holdouts at the Front of the Classroom"

[Jeffrey R. Young](#). *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, July 30, 2010, 2 pages.

Should colleges do more to push new technology? The author, a senior writer for The Chronicle of Higher Education, discusses the use of educational technology to improve teaching methods in higher education institutions in the United States.

24. "Books and Literacy in the Digital Age"

[Ralph Raab](#). *American Libraries*, August 2010, 4 pages.

How can technology promote literacy? The author, a teacher of music, computers, and study skills in East Hanover, New Jersey, with 20 years of experience, discusses literacy and electronic media, focusing on the relationship between printed books and electronic texts.

25. "Want to Improve Children's Writing?"

[Steve Graham](#). *The Education Digest*, September 2010, 7 pages.

The author, a Currey Ingram Professor of Special Education and Literacy at Vanderbilt University, discusses the important consequences of handwriting to students' writing, focusing on effective handwriting instruction.

26. "The Myth of Learning Styles"

[Cedar Riener](#) and [Daniel Willingham](#). *Change*, September/October 2010, 4 pages.

The authors discuss learning styles and the reasons behind the prevalence of beliefs in them. They also examine why college educators need to address the direct costs of the learning-style myth.